I checked them. He called and said he didn't 1 A. 2 get it. 3 Where were these eligibility rules? ο. I went to my management and said, "Hank is 4 Α. 5 calling me and said that he expects to get his AMIP 6 bonus. What are the rules? He said he worked on the 7 Chemical account for nine months. He's entitled to nine 8 months of his AMIP, he will get it, " and he got it. 9 Q. You didn't look at the rules personally, you 10 called your boss? 11 I went and saw my boss, I talked to my boss. Α. 12 He picked the phone up while I was in his office and 13 talked to someone and said, "Make sure Hank gets put on 14 the bonus plan and gets his bonus for the nine months." But both of you didn't look at any AMIP rules 15 Q. 16 or any AMIP plan? 17 Α. No. 18 Q. Do you know who Hank called? Hank called me. I don't know who my supervisor 19 Α. 20 called. 21 0. Anyone else? That's the only one that I personally know 22 A. No. 23 of now. You stated that you managed employees who had 24 Q.

1 received AMIP bonuses, correct? 2 Α. Correct. 3 0. Have you ever removed anyone from AMIP 4 eligibility? 5 A. No. 6 Q. Could an employee be eligible for an AMIP bonus 7 at the same time as being eligible for a discretionary bonus? 8 9 Α. No. 10 You couldn't receive an AMIP bonus and a 0. 11 discretionary bonus? 12 Α. That's correct. The rule was if the people 13 were receiving AMIP bonus, there was another 14 DuPont-specific bonus of about 3 percent and people who 15 were getting the AMIP bonus were not eligible for that 16 other bonus. The rest of the employees were eligible for 17 the 3 percent. 18 Again, these rules, how did you know about this 19 rule? 20 Α. I just knew that rule existed and we would 21 budget for it. I never have saw the rules, but I do know 22 that there was a guaranteed 3 percent bonus for 23 employees. That was a guaranteed bonus. I believe that 24 that 3 percent bonus is in the DuPont contract with CSC

1	that it had to be paid. I believe it probably still
2	exists.
3	Q. Is it a 3 percent salary increase or 3 percent
4	bonus?
5	A. Bonus on the salary.
6	Q. So it's not AMIP?
7	A. It is not AMIP. It's not an AMIP bonus. I
8	don't recall what it was called.
9	MR. WILSON: You're going to have to wait
10	until he finishes his questions. It gets hard for her to
11	take it down if you're both talking at the same time.
12	THE WITNESS: Okay.
13	Q. Mr. Lincoln, if I could direct your attention
14	to Exhibit 48.
15	A. Okay.
16	Q. After you received this letter, you knew you
17	were not going to get an AMIP bonus, correct?
18	A. Correct.
19	Q. Mr. Lincoln, I want to talk about your damages
20	in this case. What are your damages?
21	A. Monetarily?
22	Q. Yes.
23	A. Approximately \$10,000.
24	Q. That's it?

1	A. Yes.
2	Q. How did you estimate your damages?
3	A. I divided the number of days from April 1st
4	this letter states April 1st, so I used April 1st until
5	September the 11th, the number of days, divided 365 into
6	the 20 percent bonus, and then multiplied the number of
7	days into an answer. You will get \$10,000. Roughly half
8	a year's bonus.
9	You want me to repeat that?
10	Q. No. I'm just thinking about what you divided.
11	From what I understand, you took the number of days
12	between April 1st and I believe September 11th or 10th
13	A. Correct.
14	Q when you received your notice. You divided
15	that number into what?
16	A. I divided the bonus, 20 percent bonus, I
17	divided the bonus by 365, got one day's worth of bonus,
18	multiplied that by the number of days.
19	Q. What bonus were you using?
20	A. I was using the bonus I got each year,
21	20 percent.
22	Q. But you were assuming the maximum amount of
23	that bonus that you received
24	A. That's what I always got.

1	Q. This was an estimate, correct?
2	A. That was an estimate.
3	Q. The reason you had to estimate it is because
4	you never received an AMIP worksheet for FY '04?
5	A. Correct.
6	Q. You don't know what metrics or factors were
7	used in FY '04 to calculate the AMIP bonus?
8	A. No.
9	Q. When I say "FY '04," fiscal year '04.
10	There are lots of different ways you could
11	have calculated your AMIP bonus for fiscal year '04,
12	correct?
13	A. Correct. If I had the criteria and it were
14	different than the criteria had been in the past, I would
15	have been able to have a different factor. Since the
16	bonus had always been 20 percent or close to 20 percent,
17	there was no reason for me to use any other factors.
18	There was no reason for me to assume anything else. If I
19	had that information today, then I could factor it and I
20	suspect I would come up with the same.
21	Q. Every year you received the same AMIP bonus
22	number amount?
23	A. Yes. If memory serves me correctly, I received
24.	20 percent. I'm pretty sure it was 20 percent because

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Α. I believe the max is 10, but I'm not sure. only reason I believe that is because it's in this So I would assume it's the same. But I don't I don't even know what the criteria is. Q. You were told that the discretionary bonus wasn't guaranteed, correct? Α. Well, what I was told when I signed this letter is that I would get a discretionary bonus. That didn't happen. But that's what I was told. I know what discretionary means. Q. Did you speak to anyone in Human Resources, CSC Human Resources Department, about your removal from the AMIP program? A. No. Did you speak with anyone else? Q. A·. Just Tom Saienni. Q. What did you tell him? Α. I told him I thought he was wrong, I thought this was improper. He said he had nothing to do with it, that he felt the same way, but he had nothing to do with it, he had no choice. Who do you contend has personal knowledge of

any matter concerning or relating to your allegations or

subject matter of your complaint?

about this issue?

- Α. It's been six months.
- Q. What was the nature of your communications with him?
- A. Asked him whether he wanted to participate --George wanted to participate and I believe that -- I. think he and I decided that it's correct that he wasn't eligible for it because he had left Delaware prior to being removed from the bonus and he was actually in D.C. when he was removed from the AMIP program. wouldn't have sued -- I don't think he would have sued under the Delaware -- as part of the Delaware suit. That's why he didn't participate.

Kowal, I don't know why.

- Q. Do you have any debts at the present time?
- 15 Α. No.

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- 16 0. Any credit card debt?
 - Α. No. House payment.
- 18 Q. Mortgage?
- 19 Α. Yes.
- 20 Other than what we have already discussed, has Q. 21 there been any written or oral recorded statements given 22 by anyone in connection with this lawsuit?
- 23 Α. Not that I know of.
- 24 Have you now told me everything you know or Q.

1	remember that forms the basis of your case?
2	MR. WILSON: Object to form.
3	A. I think so.
4	Q. Is there anyone else you have not mentioned who
5	could support your claims?
6	A. Certainly Tom Saienni can support the claim.
7	He was the one that gave me the letter. We mentioned
8	him. Carlos Rodriguez, Pat keener.
9	Q. Is there any other information which you have
10	not mentioned which is relevant to supporting your
11	claims?
12	MR. WILSON: Object to form.
13	A. I think we have covered everything. I think
14	it's a pretty simple claim.
15	Q. You said, I understand, you suffered a flooding
16	in your house?
17	A. That's correct.
18	Q. You said you gave all the documents to
19	Mr. Wilson that you have?
20	A. All the documents that I could recover that
21	weren't just totally we had a flooding and then mold
22	crept in all these papers and I have just not I got
23	rid of that. I lost some decent papers in that flood.
24	Q. When did the flooding occur?

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                It happened back in the fall. We had 10 inches
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     of rain and my sump pump quit. So I ended up with a
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     basement full of water.
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                Fall of '05?
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                    MR. RAIMO:
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                    (Deposition Exhibit No. 49 was marked for
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     identification.)
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     BY MR. WILSON:
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               Are they pay slips?
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               Are your AMIP bonuses reflected on these pay
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     slips?
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         Α.
               Yes, they are.
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         Q.
               Are they from the years 2001, 2002, and 2003?
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         A.
               2001, 2002, 2003, yes.
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         Q.
               What was your AMIP bonus for 2001?
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               $9,604.04.
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         Q.
               2002?
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         A.
               $20,391.
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1	Q. And 2003?
2	A. \$20,623.
3	Q. Did these amounts reflect your recollection of
4	the AMIP bonuses that you received?
5	A. That is correct.
6	Q. Did you have to perform certain functions or
7	meet certain objectives to receive the AMIP bonus?
8	A. Yes.
9	MR. RAIMO: Objection.
10	Q. During what period of time did you perform
11	these functions or meet these objectives for the bonus
12	indicated for 2001?
13	A. 2001 was from about the middle of September
14	until the end of March of 2002.
15	Q. Was this bonus a prorated bonus for fiscal year
16	2001?
17	A. Let me correct that first answer. It was from
L 8	September of 2000 until March of 2001.
L9	Q. Was this a prorated bonus?
20	A. Yes, it was.
21	Q. For 2002, what period of time did you work to
22	earn this bonus?
23	A. The entire fiscal year. April till the end of
4	March.

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                    MR. RAIMO: Objection.
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     period of time?
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                    MR. RAIMO: Objection.
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                    THE WITNESS: -- 2002 to March of 2003.
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               Did CSC gain any benefit from the work you
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     performed --
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                    MR. RAIMO: Objection.
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     BY MR. WILSON:
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         Q.
               -- during this time?
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         Α.
               Yes.
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         Q.
               From April 1st till September 11, 2003, did you
     continue to perform functions for which CSC gained a
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    benefit?
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                   MR. RAIMO: Objection.
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         Α.
               Yes.
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         Q.
               Did you perform the same functions as you did
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     in the previous years?
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         A.
               Essentially the same functions.
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                   MR. RAIMO:
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1	Q. Was your AMIP bonus an earned bonus?
2	A. Yes.
3	MR. RAIMO: Objection.
4	Q. I'd like you to look at Exhibit 45, which is
5	the AMIP worksheet for fiscal year 2002.
6	A. Okay.
7	Q. Under "Team and Individual Objectives," does it
8	state: "Provide New Technical Statement of Direction on
9	a monthly basis"?
10	A. Correct.
11	Q. Did you do that on a monthly basis?
12	A. Yes, we did.
13	Q. Was that throughout the year?
14	A. Yes.
15	Q. The other team and individual objectives, did
16	you work on those on a monthly basis?
17	MR. RAIMO: Objection.
18	A. I worked on those on a daily basis.
19	Q. Throughout the fiscal year?
20	A. Yes.
21	Q. What about the financial objectives up top, did
22	you work on those throughout the fiscal year?
23	A. Yes.
24	MR. RAIMO: Objection.

1 Q. Close to the top on the right-hand side there's a box that's titled, "Proration by eligible months." 2 that correct? 3 4 Α. Yes. 5 Q. If you didn't work in this group for the entire 12 months, would there be a "12" in there? 6 7 MR. RAIMO: Objection. 8 Α. No. There will be a different number. 9 Q. What would that number be? 10 A. It would be dependent upon the number of months we actually worked in the Chemical Group. 11 12 Q. You stated that you helped create budgets for 13 your group. Is that correct? 14 Α. That is correct. 15 Q. Did you help create the budget for fiscal year 16 2004? 17 Α. Yes. 18 You also stated when you helped create the Q. budgets, that the AMIP bonuses were in that budget. 19 20 that correct? 21 Α. That is correct. 22 Q. Were the AMIP bonuses for fiscal year 2004 factored into that budget? 23 24 Α. Yes.

1	Q.	Was there any indication at that time that
2	people	were going to be removed from the AMIP plan?
3		MR. RAIMO: Objection.
4	Α.	Not that particular year.
5	Q.	I'd like you to look at Exhibit 47.
6	A.	Okay.
7	Q.	This is the offer letter for you to come to the
8	Chemica	1 Group?
9	A.	Correct. That is correct.
10	Q.	Is it correct that you did not participate in
11	AMIP pr	ior to this?
12	A.	That is correct.
13	Q.	When you came to the Chemical Group, did you
14	begin p	articipating in the AMIP program immediately?
15	A.	Yes.
16	Q.	You received an AMIP bonus for fiscal year
17	2001?	
18	A.	Yes, I did.
19	Q.	It was prorated, correct?
20	Α.	That is correct.
21	Q.	Can you look at Exhibit 48?
22	A.	Okay.
23	Q.	Is this the letter that tells you you are no
24	longer e	eligible for AMIP?
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- Q. Does it say, "However, you will have the opportunity to earn a discretionary bonus of up to \$10,000"?
 - A. Yes, it does.
- Q. Did you know what you needed to do to earn this discretionary bonus?
- A. I think I did. The comment, "upon the achievement of specific measurable Key Result Areas," if those would be the key result areas that would be on my performance appraisal, then I would have known what they were.
- Q. Were you told at the beginning of the fiscal year of what the key result areas would be?
- A. Yes. I would have entered them into the performance appraisal that's referred to as GPARS and then my manager would simply go in there and read them and click I accept them and those would become the key result areas for the year. He could add them, as well.

MR. WILSON: That's all I have.

21 BY MR. RAIMO:

Q. Mr. Lincoln, I just have a few follow-up questions.

Exhibit 49, Mr. Lincoln, this document



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represents your pay stub for pay period 4/28/01 through
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                Correct.
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          Q.
                And there are three columns underneath
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     "Full-time Salaried." Do you see that?
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     hours, current, and year-to-date?
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                      Description, current, year-to-date.
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          Q.
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                Earn reflects earnings; is that correct?
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                Correct.
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         Q.
               The $13,180 is your total earnings for that pay
     period, correct?
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               That amount of money includes your AMIP bonus,
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     correct?
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         Α.
               That is correct.
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         Q.
               This is for not the fiscal year, however, but
     the calendar year.
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         Α.
               Correct.
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         Ο.
               And the year-to-date column represents that?
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1	A. Correct.			
2	Q. You would agree that that is the same structure			
3	for the additional two pages which we will go through.			
4	A. Yes.			
5	Q. That being your total earnings was \$24,872, for			
6	example, for pay period between 5/11/02 and 5/24/02?			
7	A. Correct.			
8	Q. For calendar year 2002.			
9	A. Correct.			
10	Q. And next pay period, I'm looking at the third			
11	page, 5/10/03 to 5/23, and your total earnings up till			
12	the pay period at that time was \$24,558.78. Excuse me.			
13	Your current amount for that pay period was \$24,558.78,			
14	correct?			
15	A. Correct.			
16	Q. That current pay period included your AMIP			
17	bonus, correct?			
18	A. Correct.			
19	MR. RAIMO: That's all I have.			
20	(Deposition concluded at 2:52 p.m.)			
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I, Kimberly A. Hurley, Registered Professional Reporter and Notary Public, do hereby certify that there came before me on the 17th day of February, 2006, the deponent herein, ASHBY A. LINCOLN, III, who was duly sworn by me and thereafter examined by counsel for the respective parties; that the questions asked of said deponent and the answers given were taken down by me in Stenotype notes and thereafter transcribed by use of computer-aided transcription and computer printer under my direction.

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I further certify that I am not counsel, attorney, or relative of either party, or otherwise interested in the event of this suit.

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understand a question, say so and I will repeat it.

791 1 If you realize at any point in time that an 2 earlier answer you gave was incomplete or inaccurate in 3 any way, just say so and you will be allowed to correct 4 or supplement the record. 5 Of course, if you need to stop to use the 6 restroom, that's fine, or to take a break to get a drink 7 or to take a smoke break, whatever, fine. You cannot talk to your attorney during the 8 9 deposition unless it relates to a question of privilege, 10 and I'll try to avoid questions relating to your 11 communications with your attorneys which are privileged. 12 If you answer the question, then I will assume that you have heard it and understood it and have 13 14 given me your best recollection. 15 Do you understand the instructions that I 16 have just given you? 17 Α. Yes. Are you taking any medication today that could 18 0. 19 impair your ability to understand or answer these questions? 20 21 Α. No. You told me you haven't been deposed before. 0.

22 23 What did you do to prepare for this deposition?

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I met with my attorney yesterday, I looked at Α.



792 1 the complaint this morning, and I looked at the amount 2 that I'm claiming last night. That's all. 3 Q. How much are you claiming in this lawsuit? 4 Α. Ten thousand. 5 Q. Is that \$10,000 even? 6 Α. Ten thousand even, yes. 7 Can you tell me briefly how you go about Q. 8 calculating the \$10,000? 9 I looked at the four -- the last four payments 10 of the AMIP bonus that I had. I did not have any records 11 So I did have four. So I took that and I of previous. 12 looked at the percentage that was given to me through the 13 four years, and it was between 21 and 23. So I took the 14 lesser number, 21, and 21 percent of the amount that I 15 made, my annual income in 2003, which was \$98,000. 16 That percent came out to be \$20,000. I split it in two 17 because I was claiming six months. So that's \$10,000. 18 So if I understand you correctly, what you are Q. 19 claiming is that you were entitled to be paid an AMIP 20 bonus for the period of April 1 of 2003 through 21 September 11th of 2003? 22 Α. Correct, yes. 23 And the reason you are only claiming up until Q. 24 that period is because you were notified on



793 1 September 11th, 2003 --2 Α. Yes. 3 Q. -- that you were no longer eligible for an AMIP bonus. 4 5 Α. Yes. 6 So as of September 11th of 2003, you knew you Q. 7 would not get an AMIP bonus payment at all, correct? 8 A. After that point, after they told me. 9 At the point that they told you? Q. 10 Α. Yes. 11 You knew that you would not be eligible or Q. 12 receive any AMIP bonus. 13 Α. Going forward. 14 Going forward. Q. 15 Α. Correct. 16 You also knew that they were not going to be Q. 17 giving you an AMIP bonus for the period of time going 18 backwards. 19 Α. No, I didn't know that. No. The letter told you that it was effective as of 20 Q. 21 April 1. 22 The way I understood the letter was that I 23 would not be eligible for future payments. That's the 24 way I understood it.

- Q. At some point you learned that's not what the letter meant. You have not received --
 - A. I did not get the checks, so yes.
- Q. At what point did you realize that what the letter meant was you were not going to get any AMIP bonus even for a period of time going backwards?
- A. Shortly after. After discussions and asking questions what's going to happen. That's how I learned.
- Q. So maybe sometime within a couple of weeks after September 11th, 2003, you understood you wouldn't even get an AMIP bonus payment for any period of time for fiscal year 2004.
- A. Right. Correct.

- Q. By the way, just so we get this out of the way early, when I refer to a fiscal year, you would agree that the fiscal year runs from April 1 through the following March 31?
 - A. Correct.
- Q. So as an example, fiscal year 2004 would be April 1, 2003, through March 31, 2004.
 - A. Yes. Correct.
- Q. You understood that, at least by the end of September, maybe not the first day that you received the letter, but by the end of September, you understood by



795 the end of September 2004 that you would not receive any 1 2 AMIP bonus for any of fiscal year 2004. 3 Α. Yes. What you are calculating now is \$10,000, and 4 Q. you're saying that's based upon taking 21 percent times 5 your fiscal year 2004 salary and then dividing it by two? 6 7 Α. Yes. So essentially your fiscal year 2004 salary was 8 0. 9 about \$100,000? 10 Α. \$98,000. So really it should be a little bit less than 11 Q. \$10,000, right? 12 13 Α. Yeah, a little bit less. 14 Do you know how much less? Ο. 15 Α. No, I don't. But to be precise, the way you would calculate 16 Q. your damages if you were doing it down to the penny, it 17 18 would be to take your annual salary in your mind of 19 \$98,000, multiply that by 21 percent, and then divide 20 that by two. 21 Α. Yes. I haven't done the numbers, so I don't know 22 Q. 23 what that equals. You don't know what that equals,



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either?

- A. I don't know because I had it in my computer and then I left the computer at work and then I had it somewhere else and I was copying it. I didn't copy the precise numbers. I just put approximating. In my one paper here I put approximate \$10,000.
 - Q. You said you met with your attorney yesterday.
- 7 A. Correct.

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- Q. How long did you meet with him?
- 9 A. About an hour.
- 10 Q. Did you meet with him this morning, as well?
- A. No. I got there early because I knew -- I just sat there.
- Q. You said you reviewed the complaint?
- 14 A. Correct.
- 15 Q. Did you review anything else?
- A. I looked at very briefly the interrogatories
 that were sent by you, but it didn't mean anything to me.
 I put it back in the envelope and closed it. So I did
 not review anything else.
- Q. Other than your attorney, have you spoken to anybody about your case?
 - A. My wife knows about it. At work Kevin Keir, we have spoken briefly twice because he has -- the one time that we had a conference call with our attorney, he was



Case 1:05-cv-00010-JJF Document 10 table of 06/08/2006 Page 32 of 60 797 not present, so he asked me how that went and I told him 1 2 what we talked about. 3 A second time he asked me -- trying to 4 recall because I don't recall the conversation precisely, 5 but he had not heard anything, whether I had heard 6 something and I said no. That was it. 7 And I have also discussed it with 8 Dan Rollins, personal friend of mine and he happens to be 9 in the case, also. So from time to time we had discussed 10 whether we know anything and that's about it. 11 Q. Other than the discussions you have had with 12 other plaintiffs about wondering what the status is and 13 have you heard anything, that kind of a conversation, 14 have you discussed the substance at all? 15 Α. With Dan Rollins I have discussed the merit of 16 our case, yes. 17 Q. Tell me about those discussions. 18 Very briefly whether -- we have said to each 19 other that we strongly believe that fair -- that what we 20

- are asking is fair. I think that's been the extent of it.
- 22 Q. Have you discussed what you would testify about 23 today?
 - Α. No.

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. 1	Q. Have you discussed what he should testify to?
2	A. No.
3	Q. Your claim is a claim, as I understand it, for
4	wages under the Delaware Wage Payment Act?
5	A. I don't know. I'm not sure about the act or
6	the law behind it. I have left everything to our
7	attorney, and I do not have any information of specific
8	laws or acts that are involved.
9	Q. Can you spell your name for the record?
10	A. My last name?
11	Q. Both names.
12	A. H-e-c-t-o-r. Calderon, C-a-l-d-e-r-o-n.
13	Q. Have you ever been known by any other name?
14	A. No.
15	Q. What's your Social Security number,
16	Mr. Calderon?
17	A. 581-53-8395.
18	Q. What is the date of your birth?
19	A. January 14th, 1963.
20	Q. Where were you born?
21	A. San Juan, Puerto Rico.
22	Q. Where do you live?
23	A. Bear, Delaware.
24	Q. What's your address?

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2	·	7 Iona Court, Bear, Delaware, 19701.
	Q.	How long have you lived there?
3	Α.	Nine years.
4	Q.	What is your home telephone number?
5	Α.	302-836-1483.
6	Q.	You said you're married?
7	Α.	Yes.
8	Q.	How long have you been married?
9	A.	Ten years.
10	. Q.	Do you have any children?
11	A.	Three stepchildren. I don't have any children
12	of my own	
13	Q.	Those are children that came to the marriage
14	from your	wife?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	Have you had any other marriages?
17	Α.	No.
18	Q.	Have you ever been arrested?
19	Α.	No.
20	Q.	Have you ever been convicted of any crime?
21	Α.	No.
22	Q.	Have you ever been in the military?
23	Α.	No.
24	Q.	When did you first contact an attorney to



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- Has there been any discussion about that amongst the plaintiffs?
- Α. Amongst us? No. I have not discussed it.



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802 1 have no idea, really. 2 Q. Have any lawsuits ever been filed against you? 3 Α. No. 4 Q. Have you ever filed any lawsuits against anyone 5 else? 6 Α. I was involved in a class-action suit against 7 CSC that was settled recently. 8 Q. How much did you make off of that case? 9 Α. About \$1,300, if I remember correctly. 10 Thirteen, fifteen hundred. Something like that. 11 Q. Any other lawsuits you have been involved in in 12 any way? 13 Α. No. 14 Q. Have you ever declared bankruptcy? 15 Α. No. 16 Q. Have you ever made a claim for unemployment 17 benefits? 18 Α. No. 19 Q. Have you ever made a claim for workers' 20 compensation benefits? 21 Α. No. 22 Q. Tell me about your educational history.



Massachusetts, Bachelor's in art with a major in computer

I went to Clark University in Worcester,

803 1 And that's the extent. I got a Bachelor's and that's it. 2 3 0. It was a Bachelor's in what, computer science? 4 Α. B.A. which is a liberal arts school and I 5 majored in computer science. 6 Q. By the way, when did you come to this country? 7 Α. To permanently live? Because Puerto Rico is 8 a -- for all intents and purposes, it's like Washington, 9 So it's a commonwealth of the U.S. 10 Q. Sure. 11 A. I came to the U.S. to live in 1996. 12 Any other education or training that we haven't Q. 13 spoken about? 14 Α. No. 15 ο. Have you ever received any professional or 16 work-related certifications? 17 Α. All related to my SAP professional career. 18 have received several certificates for courses that I 19 have taken. 20 Q. What kind of courses are they? Are they 21 courses that CSC offers? 22 Α. Yes. Some. And others that SAP -- the company 23 SAP offers and has been paid by CSC.



Are you certified in something?

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- A. No, I'm not certified in -- I am one of the few people in the company that know many modules of the integrated system and so I do not look for -- to certify myself because I don't believe in that.
 - Q. What do you mean?

- A. It's just that to me certification doesn't mean anything. A lot of people that do what I do get certifications because they think that that's going to give them a better career, better incentive, so on and so forth, and I don't think that's the right way to approach my career. So I don't look for certifications, but like I said, I'm one of the few that know many modules.
- Q. You know a lot about SAP, but you're not certified in any way?
 - A. Correct.
- Q. So these other certification programs that you have taken, what were they if they weren't certifications?
- A. They're SAP courses which doesn't -- again, doesn't certify anything. You go to take the course and you learn some functionalities and they give you a certificate that tells you that you were there for a week and you took the course.
 - Q. How many of those courses have you taken?



805 1 Α. About five. 2 Q. This is over what period of time? 3 Α. Thirteen years. 4 Q. Have you ever received any awards or honors? 5 Α. Well, award -- I'm sorry. No honors and 6 awards. By the DuPont Company while in my travels in 7 South America. 8 Q. You received from the DuPont Company an award? Α. 9 Awards, recognition awards, for my work. 10 Q. Was it more than one? 11 Α. Several, yes. 12 What was it for exactly? Q. 13 Α. For work that I did in bringing up 14 manufacturing plants up-to-date with what the U.S. was 15 I was the one that went to South America and did 16 the -- that transformation or conversion to the systems 17 that the U.S. were implementing. 18 Q. Were there cash components to these awards? 19 Α. No. 20 Q. What were they, just recognitions? 21 Α. Pieces of paper that to me were important at 22 the time. Plaques. That was about it. 23 Q. Why don't we go through your employment



After you graduated -- which is in what year?

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you ever get any kind of bonus?

- A. In DuPont, the way it works is that, when you reach a certain level, they recognize you with a variable compensation bonus. It's not only a bonus, several components to variable comp. So when I reached level 5 in DuPont, they gave me -- not 5, I'm sorry. It was level 4. They told me I was going to get variable compensation and I started the program.
 - Q. Did you get that every year at that point?
- A. Yes. In DuPont, unless you do something really bad, you were in that program and you always earn it.
- Q. What year did you start to earn variable compensation?
- A. It was in my last year in Puerto Rico. So it must have been -- I can't recall real well, but it must have been the beginning of 1995, the end of 1994.
- Q. Would that have just been one year, because you stopped working for DuPont at the end of '95.
- A. Well, no. DuPont Puerto Rico was a subsidiary. So I transferred to U.S. For all intents and purposes, it was still DuPont, but it was E.I. du Pont. It was a different company in legal terms. But my variable comp. transferred just like my seniority did.
 - Q. So after December of '95 you continued to work





- between March and May. So I did receive variable comp. that year.
- Q. You received the first variable compensation let's say in that March-to-May time frame in 1995 you think?
- A. I'm sorry. Ask again.
- Q. The first time you received variable compensation from DuPont, that would have been between March and May of '95, approximately?
- 10 A. It's either '95 or '94. I think it was more 11 1994, at the end of 1994, but I can't recall.
- 12 Q. If you received it at the end of 1994, what 13 period of time --
- A. I'm saying -- it's either April 1994 or April 1995.
- 16 Q. You're not sure?
- 17 A. Yeah, I'm not sure.
- 18 Q. If you received it April '94, it would have 19 been for the calendar year '93?
- 20 A. Yes.

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- Q. DuPont had a calendar year as their fiscal year?
- 23 A. I don't remember.
- 24 Q. But if you received it --



810 1 Α. I don't remember. 2 Q. If you received it in April of '94, that would 3 have been for the calendar year of '93? 4 Α. Yeah. 5 Q. If you received it in '95, that would have been 6 for the calendar year '94? 7 Α. Correct, yes. 8 0. So you think you may have received it in '95, 9 '96, and '97 for the prior calendar years? 10 Α. Yes. 11 0. You may also have received it in '94? 12 Α. Yes. 13 Q. So at least three times, maybe four times. 14 Α. Yes. 15 Q. Did you ever see any documents or programs 16 related to the variable compensation? 17 Α. I vaguely recall seeing something, but I don't 18 have it with me. I don't recall ever having it with me. 19 I just recall when I was told, I recall seeing something 20 from -- actually from Merrill Lynch because Merrill Lynch 21 was the guardian. So they sent something to me. 22 0. Merrill Lynch was what? 23 Α. Merrill Lynch was the -- I don't know the name 24 for that. The custodian, I guess.

Q. They were the administrator?

- A. Yeah, the administrator of the variable comp. plan, because DuPont, most of the variable comp. went in stocks, so they gave you the stocks and put it in what they call a blueprint account. So Merrill Lynch managed that. So I remember receiving documentation from Merrill Lynch saying you have a variable comp. program and this is how much you're getting and the way they were managing it, managing the stocks and what my rights were, and that's all I remember seeing.
- Q. Tell me about how you transitioned over to CSC. Tell me about that.
- A. I learned through people talking about the deal that some of us were going to go to Accenture and some of us were going to go to Computer Sciences Corporation.

 Because I knew many people in IT for so many years, I think I could have asked to go to either. But I was offered to go to CSC. I was told hey, you're going to CSC. And that's when I received the letter that I have with me and you also have.
 - Q. Yes.
- A. It was a great deal for me because I was -- right away I was going to make more money.
 - Q. Because it was a higher salary?





- Q. So Exhibit 50 was the letter we were talking about?
 - A. Correct, yes.
- Q. Other than this letter, have you ever received any other documents or information about AMIP?
 - A. No.

- Q. Did you have any orientation programs or discussions about AMIP during the transition?
 - A. Not during the transition, no.
 - Q. Or after you were now CSC employees?
- A. After we were employees, we discussed it many times with my manager and my staff manager. Staff manager is the term CSC uses for middle person between the manager, director, and me. And we discussed that many times, yes. My manager was in it. I was in it. We discussed it many times, yes.
 - Q. Tell me about those discussions.
- A. Those discussions were always what we're supposed to get, what percent we were supposed to get, and how we came into -- how we came into the equation, what we needed to do to -- what we needed to do to earn that, and in my case, those discussions were very important because we always discussed it once for sure, maybe twice, and it was always discussed during my

1	discussion of contribution. And for the past four
2	three or four years before it was taken away, my manager
3	always told me that the increases were very low and I
4	was saying well, why am I getting a rating of 2 and 1,
5	which means you're exceeding expectations, and I'm
6	getting a 1, 2 percent, and the answer was well, we're
7	not doing very well as a company, but you're getting this
8	big bonus, so big bonus, you're compensated for that. I
9	always I think that's fair, I'm getting a big bonus, I
10	don't care about the increase.

So when they took it away, my thought was okay, what happens with the increases that you never gave me for three or four years, giving me 1 or 2 percent?

That's why the discussions were important every year and a couple times -- once and, many times, twice every year.

- Q. When would those discussions take place, at the end of the year when the new salaries were being considered?
- A. The one time for sure. Another time during midyear my staff manager and I would discuss it in terms of how are we doing to meet the goals.
- Q. Who are the managers that you discussed this with?
 - A. Mary Lloyd, and she retired and still working



for DuPont as a consultant now, and Alan Kronmiller was the one that always gave me -- had the final discussion with me. He was the one who would tell me exactly what the percent of the increase was or the bonus was. Again, the discussion happened at the same time the bonus would come.

- Q. The bonus would come a few months later?
- A. Correct, yes.

- Q. Just so I understand what you're talking about, you're saying that performance evaluations are done when, in the April and May time frame?
 - A. Correct, yes.
 - Q. Then shortly after that you get the bonus.
- A. It always came -- the increase would come in
 May and the bonus would come in June.
 - Q. Just as an example, let's say in fiscal year 2002 -- let me back up for a moment.

Let's say in April of 2002, you would have a performance review discussion about your performance for that April 1, 2001, through March 31, 2002, time period?

- A. Yes.
- Q. And during that performance discussion about your prior year's performance, you would get information



- about what your next year's salary would be?
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- Q. And you would get information about what your AMIP bonus was going to be for the prior year.
- A. Yes. Sometimes it happened at that time. But at times the information came later, so we would have another meeting. It wasn't always that way. It would depend on when the company knew what the percentage would be for the AMIP bonus.
- Q. I want to make sure what we're talking about is a discussion about the prior year's fiscal bonus?
 - A. Yes. It was always for the prior fiscal year.
 - Q. That you were discussing?
- 14 A. Yes.
 - Q. Because you were saying if I did so well this prior year in terms of salary increase, I should have gotten more, and they're saying well, we're giving you a large bonus --
- 19 A. Exactly.
 - Q. -- in lieu of that salary increase for the prior year.
 - A. Yes.
- Q. Did that happen every year or only some years?
 - A. Every year. That happened every year.



- Q. In addition, some years other conversations took place is what you're saying?
 - A. Yes.

- Q. And the other conversations you say that took place, they took place during the middle part of the year?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. And would those conversations be more along the lines of how the AMIP gets calculated?
- A. Never. I never -- my manager would never know how the AMIP would get calculated. The director of my group would never know how that got calculated until we got word of what the percent was and then I would be shown a paper that would say in the categories that everyone worked towards and then the percent that we met -- the percent of each category.
- Q. Let's go back. The conversations you had were not about how the AMIP got calculated. These other conversations that would occur during the middle part of the year would be, again, you're working hard, you will get an AMIP bonus.
- A. But it wasn't -- we did not discuss how it would be in terms of how much we would get. That calculation never took place. But we did discuss the



1 categories that we would need to meet to get an AMIP bonus. That took place.

- Q. That's the conversations you're talking about?
- Α. Those would be in the middle of the year.
- So the conversations that took place at the end of the year were conversations that would take place about why the bonus was going to be paid for the prior year because you weren't getting a larger salary increase. But the conversations that took place during the middle part of the year were more about the categories of how the bonus was calculated, if not the exact formula.
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- Q. Tell me about the conversations during the middle part of the year. Was this every year that you would have these conversations or only certain years?
- Α. It wasn't always the same because management in my group changed during that period. At least 2002, 2004 changed every year. So one manager would come and things will change. Every year was different.
 - 0. The formula?
- Α. Not the formula, but the discussions, and when we would discuss things and what would be going -- what we would discuss, that would be totally different every



819 1 year. Do you remember the details of any of those 2 Q. 3 conversations? No, I don't remember the details, actually. 4 Α. But, generally speaking, sometimes those 5 Q. conversations would occur in September, sometimes they 6 would be October, sometimes November, sometimes December? 7 8 Α. Correct, yes. Those conversations would be your manager with 9 Q. 10 you? 11 Α. Yes. 12 Q. One-on-one conversations? 13 Α. Yes. Just like the conversations at the end of the 14 0. 15 year were one-on-one? 16 Α. Yes. And the manager that you would be discussing 17 Q. this with was Aaron Kronmiller? 18 The manager that I would be discussing 19 that in the middle of the year or, like you said, 20 October, November, December, it would be Mary Lloyd, who 21 was the staff manager. Again, staff manager was only a 22 person that would -- it was a middle person between the 23



higher manager and you to facilitate the administration



objective. That was one category.

- Q. The category, that's what you mean by category.
- A. In the discussion we would say, hey, we don't have any control over that, just keep doing what you're doing, we don't have nothing to do with that. If the company as a whole met, then we get 100 percent. If the company did not meet that, then we get 85 percent of the total, you know, weight of that category.
- Q. Within the category of financial performance, there might be different factors that were used. Some years return on investment was used?
 - A. I have no idea what went into that formula.
- Q. So you don't know the details of how the formula was calculated at all for any of the years?
- A. No idea.
 - Q. Do you know that the factors changed year to year?
- 17 A. Yes.

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- Q. But you just don't know what the factors were?
- 19 A. Correct.
- Q. That's on the category of financial
 performance. There were other categories of individual
 performance, I gather?
- 23 A. Yes. And those would be --
 - Q. Or group performance?



- Q. Customer satisfaction?



- A. Yes. Really stupid. I'm sorry. Tell you one example. It would be put your time on time -- put your time on time every week.
 - Q. Time entry?
- A. Yes. Okay. Go to meetings. Okay. Like 10 or 12 like that. I did that.
- Q. So those were the normal performance objectives that you would have to meet just as part of doing your job?
- 10 A. Yes.

- Q. And those were the same objectives that were used for the individual performance goals within AMIP?
 - A. No. AMIP were totally different.
- Q. I'm not talking about the financial objectives.

 I'm talking about the individual performance objectives.
 - A. They were different.
- Q. Tell me what were the ones for AMIP.
- A. The ones I just described were related to my performance for my increases. That's one thing. Totally different subject, AMIP.

AMIP, we would get a table, looked like a table, and they would have categories, more specific categories, that we as a company would need to meet.

Nothing that I had to do specifically.



Q. And that would be for the fiscal year that you were already in and you would have to work towards those

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in order to be eligible for the AMIP?

- A. Correct, yes.
- Q. I think it's clear, but I want to make sure.
- 4 The actual payment of the AMIP bonus would occur in what,
- 5 | the June time frame?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. And that would be the June following the close of the fiscal year?
- A. Yes -- no. It would be the same time period,
 April through March. It was just that I would get it
 late. We would get it a couple months late.
- Q. A couple months after the close of the fiscal year?
- 14 A. Yes.
 - Q. Just as an example, you might receive a payment in June 2003 or May 2003 and that payment would be for the AMIP bonus for the prior fiscal year?
- 18 A. Yes.
- Q. If you receive a payment in May of 2003, that's for the AMIP period of April 1, 2002, through March 31,
- 21 | 2003?
- 22 A. Yes.
- Q. That would be because the company would need time to calculate whether or not it had achieved and

